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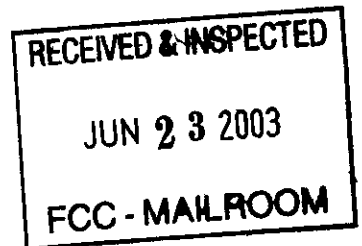
Brooklyn Mutual Telephone Company

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RE: CC Docket No. 96-45
Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support - ICLS
Annual Certification Filing

This is to certify that Brooklyn Mutual Telephone Company will use its **Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support** only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of the company named above. This certification is for the study area(s) listed below.

Company Name	State	Study Area Code
Brooklyn Mutual Telephone Company	Iowa	351113
Montezuma Mutual Telephone Company	Iowa	351248
Cooperative Telephone Company	Iowa	351139

(If necessary, attach a separate list of additional study areas and check here.) X

Signed,

Tim Atkinson
[Signature of Authorized Representative]

Date: 6-19-2003

Tim Atkinson
[Printed Name of Authorized Representative]

General Manager
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Company Name	State	Study Area Code
Barnes City Cooperative	Iowa	351108